

# Possible Indicators of Suspicious Activities

## RECREATIONAL BOATS:

- Fishing/Hunting in locations not typically used for fishing/hunting
- Unattended vessels
- Unusual boat characteristics
- Aggressive activities
- Filming/recording/note taking activities
- Unusual diving operations
- Recovering or tossing items into/onto the waterway or shoreline
- Vessel loitering in/around Coast Guard designated security zone
- Lights flashing between boats and shore at night

## COMMERCIAL VESSELS:

- Operating/transiting in an area not typically transited
- Anchored in an area not typically used as an anchorage area
- Unattended vessels
- Any aggressive actions or suspicious activity
- Filming/recording/note taking activities
- Recovering or tossing items into/onto the waterway or shoreline
- Unusual transfer of personnel or items while transiting

## WATERFRONT FACILITIES AND/OR OTHER STRUCTURES INCLUDING BRIDGES:

- Fishing/hunting in locations not typically used for fishing/hunting
- Unattended vehicles in unusual locations
- Unusual vehicle characteristics
- Any aggressive actions or suspicious activity
- Filming/recording/note taking activities
- Stranger displaying unusually high amount of interest in facilities operations (e.g. storage capacity, product stored, facility's physical security, etc)
- Recovering or tossing items into/onto the waterway or shoreline
- Unusual night operations
- Missing/damaged fencing, lighting etc...
- Asking unusual questions about business' operations (i.e. what are the busiest hrs of operation, how many people are at the business at any given time, what chemicals does this facility handle, etc.)

## PLACES OF PARTICULAR INTEREST:

- Bridges
- Power plants
- Water intakes
- Oil/Chemical facilities
- Fuel docks
- Military bases

## WHO SHOULD I CALL?

For all suspected terrorism plots or activities, all oil, hazardous materials (hazmat), biological, and chemical spills and/or suspicious activity on/or near the water, contact the U.S. Coast Guard:

**1-866-767-TIPS**

or

**(1-800-424-8802)**

For suspected smuggling operations, contact the U.S. Customs:

**1 (800) 232 5378**

For suspected illegal entry of foreign nationals into the United States contact, the Department of Immigrations:

**1 (314) 539-2538**

For suspicious activity in/or around your community you can contact your local authorities: